GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
POWER
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DAMODAR VALLEY CORPORATION
Acharia Shri Basudeb

Will the Minister of POWER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has decided to bring Damodar Valley Corporation (DVC) under the purview of Central Electricity Regulatory Commission; and

(b) if so, the facts thereof and the reasons therefor?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF POWER (SHRI P.M. SAYEED)

(a) & (b): On a clarification sought by the DVC related to jurisdiction of appropriate Regulatory Commission over the Corporation, Ministry of Power has clarified in June, 2005 that:

(i) The Central Electricity Regulatory Commission has jurisdiction under section 79 of the Electricity Act, 2003 in respect of generating stations of the DVC and the inter-state transmission of electricity undertaken by the DVC.

(ii) The concerned State Electricity Regulatory Commission has jurisdiction in terms of section 86 of the Act in respect of distribution of electricity and intra-state transmission of electricity undertaken by DVC.